

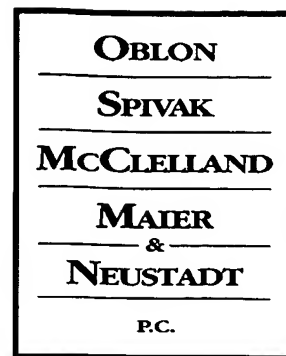


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EXAMINING GROUP 3677"

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SUCH A DEVICE AND CORRESPONDING
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In response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2005, please note the following
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